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SUBJECT: COMMUNICATIONS PROJECT/TELECONSULT PROPOSAL

1. TELECONSULT REQUESTS YOU PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO
DIRECTOR OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AL-MAHDY: QUOTE:

TO CLARIFY THE TELECONSULT PROPOSAL, WE WOULD LIKE TO INFORM
YOU THAT WE DID NOT SUBMIT A DETAILED PROPOSAL TO YOU
BECAUSE YOU REQUESTED ONLY A BUDGETARY QUOTE AT THIS TIME.
THE TELECONSULT QUOTE DOES NOT INCLUDE TRAINING IN THE U.S.
FOR MINISTRY PERSONNEL. THE TELECONSULT PLAN PROVIDES FOR
FOUR ENGINEERS FULL TIME AND ONE ENGINEER HALF TIME FOR THE
FIRST YEAR. TELECONSULT PLANS A FULL TRAINING PROGRAM FOR
MINISTRY PERSONNEL TO QUALIFY THEM TO BECOME STATION ENGI-
NEERS. THEREFORE, THE MINISTRY'S FOUR TECHNICIANS WILL BE
TRAINED TO PARTICIPATE IN SHIFTS IF THE MINISTRY DESIRES,
BUT OUR QUOTE DOES NOT REQUIRE MINISTRY PERSONNEL TO
PARTICIPATE IN SHIFTS.

AFTER RENEWING OUR BUDGETARY QUOTE BASED ON NEW INFORMATION
SUPPLIED ON LOCAL DOHA COSTS, WE ARE PLEASED TO INFORM YOU
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THAT THE REVISED BUDGETARY QUOTE IS 741,000. THIS QUOTE IS
FOR ALL THE SERVICES REQUIRED TO PROPERLY MAINTAIN THE
DOHA EARTH STATION.

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WE WOULD LIKE TO REPEAT THAT TELECONSULT REMAINS SERIOUSLY
INTETESTED IN SUPPLYING THE MINISTRY WITH ALL THE SERVICES

REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN THE DOHA EARTH STATION UP TO INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS.

PLEASE CONTACT US IMMEDIATELY IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS OUR PROPOSAL IN FURTHER DETAIL.

REGARDS, R. L. HALVERSON. END QUOTE.

2. TELECONSULT WOULD APPRECIATE HEARING AL-MAHDY'S REACTION TO MESSAGE. PLEASE SLUG REPLY FOR NEA/ARP.
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